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Proposed Class:

Subclass:

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Mail Stop Patent Application
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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Chris Bender; Ramprasad Santhanakrishnan

For (title): DYNAMIC OAM FOR SIGNED CONNECTIONS (DOSC)

1. Type of Application

This application is for an original (nonprovisional).

2. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. § 1.153 (Design)
Application

13 Page(s) of Specification

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3 Page(s) of Claims
1 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Informal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

2 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney
1 Page(s) of abstract

3. Declaration or Oath

Enclosed

Executed by:

* inventors.

4. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

5. Language

English

6. Assignment

An assignment of the invention to Marconi Communications, Inc. is attached. A separate "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) ACCOMPANYING NEW PATENT APPLICATION" is also attached.

7. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED									
Number Filed		Number Extra				Rate		Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a) 750.00	
Total									
Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	10	-	20	=	0	x \$	18.00	= \$	0.00
Independent									
Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	3	-	3	=	0	x \$	84.00	= \$	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))						+ \$	280.00	= \$	0.00

Filing Fee Calculation

\$750.00

8. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

Enclosed

Filing Fee
\$750.00

Recording assignment (\$40; 37 C.F.R. §
1.21(h)) (See attached "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT
ACCOMPANYING NEW APPLICATION".)

\$40.00

\$790.00

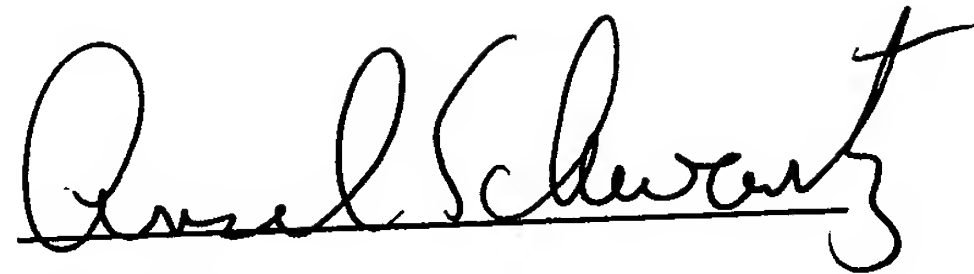
Total Fees Enclosed

9. Method of Payment of Fees

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10. Instructions as to Overpayment

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